for this purpose will be undertaken by the Directorate of Adult Education which is the National Resource Centre and will also be de-centralised in such a manner that area specific production of software takes place at the State level by the State Resource Centres.

Publication Railway Time Table

27. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI. Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of copies of Railway Time Table published in English, Hindi and Urdu during the last three years;

(b) the total earning of the Ministry of Railways by sale of Time Tables during this period language-wise; and

(c) the total earning by the Ministry of Railways on account of advertisements published in the Time Tables?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Members of U.G.C.

28. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of members of the University Grants Commission along with their qualifications and academic attainments during the last three years;

(b) what are the names of members of various panels and sub-committees of University Grants Commission during the last three years;

(c) what is the number of meetings of U.G.C. and its various sub-committees and panels held during the last three years; and

(d) what is the total amount of expenditure incurred in the meetings of U.G.C. and its various Committees and panels during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) The names and other particulars of the members of the University Grants Commission during the last three years are given in the attached statement (*See* below).

(b) The UGC Act does not specify the Sub-Committees or Panels to be set up by the Commission. However, the Act envisages that the Commission takes various steps in furtherance of its objectives in consultation with the Universities or other bodies concerned. The Commission accordingly constitutes from time to time a number of subject Panels or Standing Committees for specific purposes. The names of members of the existing Subject Panels and Standing Committees are being compiled and will be placed on the Table of the House.

(c) The Commission held 10 meetings during 1986, 6 in 1987 and 6 in 1988 so far. The Panels normally hold two or three meetings in a year.

(d) The total amount spent on the Committees, etc. during the last three years, in the form of travelling allowances, etc. is:—

1985-86	..	Rs. 22.02 lakhs
1986-87	..	Rs. 23.40 lakhs
1987-88	..	Rs. 30.62 lakhs.